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TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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Subject: Label Amendment Submission of 01/14/94 in Response to PR Notice 93-7  
EPA Reg. No. 6973-29  
SOILSERV BACILLUS PELLETS

Dear Registrant:

The labeling cited above and submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is accepted subject to the comments reflected on the enclosed sheet. A copy of your proposed labeling stamped "ACCEPTED WITH COMMENTS" is enclosed.

**WHAT THIS ACCEPTANCE MEANS:**

Based on your certification, the Agency has accepted the labeling changes that are necessary to comply with the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) labeling requirements of 40 CFR part 156, subpart K, described in PR Notices 93-7 and 93-11. Any other labeling changes submitted in connection with this amendment application but not directly related to compliance with the WPS have not been reviewed or accepted by the Agency. If you wish to make such changes, you must submit a separate amendment application proposing them. If your product is currently suspended, the acceptance of this labeling amendment does not affect the suspension in any way.

**WHAT YOU NEED TO DO NEXT:**

By the next label printing make all the specified changes to your labeling. Send to EPA one (1) copy of the final printed labeling:

- BEFORE selling or distributing any product bearing the final printed labeling
- AND
- WITHIN one year from date of this acceptance.



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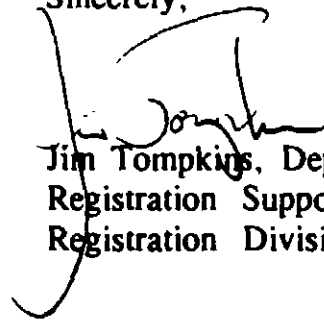
Submit the final printed labeling via the U.S. Postal Service to:

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Office of Pesticide Programs (7505C)  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
401 M Street, SW  
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Hand or courier deliveries of final printed labeling may be made to:

Document Processing Desk (FIN-LABEL)  
Office of Pesticide Programs  
Room 266A, Crystal Mall 2  
1921 Jefferson Davis Highway  
Arlington, VA 22202

Sincerely,



Jim Tompkins, Deputy Chief  
Registration Support Branch  
Registration Division (7505W)

Attachment

# SOILSERV BACILLUS PELLETS

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ACTIVE INGREDIENTS: BACILLUS THURINGIENSIS Subspecies Kurstaki  
potency of 224 international units per mg. of pellets\* ..... 0.045%  
Inert Ingredients ..... 99.955%  
\*Equivalent to potency of approximately 100 million international units per pound of this product.

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 6973-29  
ACCEPTED with COMMENTS In EPA Letter Dated 11/20/80

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

## CAUTION

AVOID BREATHING DUST OR VAPORS  
DO NOT CONTAMINATE FEED OR FOOD PRODUCTS

### STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT:

If in eyes, flush with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists. If on skin wash with plenty of soap and water. If inhaled, get medical attention. If not breathing, give artificial respiration preferably mouth-to-mouth; get medical attention.

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

#### AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

- Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE), and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.
- Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 12 hours.
- PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is: coveralls, waterproof gloves, and shoes plus socks.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS:

For control of Lepidopterous larvae including Salt Marsh Caterpillar, Cutworms, Fruitworms, Corn Earworm, Loopers, and Armyworms. Use at 40 to 50 lbs. per acre. There are no time limitations on crops listed.

Artichokes	Broccoli	Alfalfa	Potatoes	Strawberries
Cucumbers	Cauliflower	Lettuce	Tomatoes	Spinach
	Cabbage	Melons	Celery	

When using on LETTUCE and CELERY apply only to furrows to avoid getting pellets in heads.

### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS ( & DOMESTIC ANIMALS) CAUTION

Causes eye irritation. Harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove and wash clothing before reuse. *delete*

#### Personal Protective Equipment:

Applicators and other handlers must wear coveralls, waterproof gloves, and shoes plus socks. Follow Manufacturer's Instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such Instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

#### User Safety Recommendations:

- User should:
- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.
  - Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
  - Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:

Do not contaminate domestic livestock, or irrigation water supplies or lakes, streams, or ponds. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Store in a dry place. Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage, disposal, or cleaning of equipment. Open dumping is prohibited. Pesticide that cannot be used according to label instructions must be disposed of according to applicable federal, state, or local procedures. Completely empty container by shaking, and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then dispose of container in a sanitary landfill or by incineration if allowed by state and local authorities. If burned, stay out of smoke. Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

**Limited Warranty Disclaimer:** 1. The manufacturer warrants (a) that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label; (b) that this product is reasonably fit for the purposes set forth in the directions for use when it is used in accordance with such directions; and (c) that the directions, warnings and other statements on this label are based upon responsible experts' evaluation of reasonable tests of effectiveness, of toxicity to laboratory animals and to plants, and of residues on food crops, and upon reports of field experience. Tests have not been made on all varieties or in all states or under all conditions. THE MANUFACTURER NEITHER MAKES NOR INTENDS, NOR DOES IT AUTHORIZE ANY AGENT OR REPRESENTATIVE TO MAKE ANY OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AND IT EXPRESSLY EXCLUDES AND DISCLAIMS ALL IMPLIED WARRANTIES OR MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE.

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